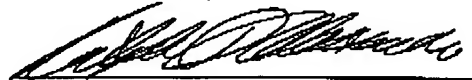


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USA.301-1**REMARKS**

1. Claims 1 – 56 are pending in the application. Claims 26-27 and 53-54 were objected to because the words “three-dimension” should read “three-dimensional.” Amendment to these claims to reflect the correct description is presented in this response. Applicants respectfully submit this amendment places the claims in condition for allowance. Reconsideration and removal of the objection are therefore respectfully requested.
2. Claims 1 and 28 were rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable for obviousness over claims 18 and 39 of U.S. Patent No. 6,823,928. Claims 9-10 and 21-22 were provisionally rejected under the same doctrine over claims 1 and 16 of co-pending Application No. 10/999,799. These rejections are addressed by the submission of a terminal disclaimer in order to overcome the double patenting rejections over U.S. Patent No. 6,823,928 and co-pending Application No. 10/999,779. It is submitted that this places the claims and the application in condition for allowance. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections are respectfully requested.
3. In summary, claims 26-27 and 53-54 have been canceled. A terminal disclaimer effective against U.S. Patent No. 6,823,928 and co-pending application USSN 10/999,779 has been submitted. Claims 1-56 remain in the application.
4. Pursuant to currently recommended Patent Office practice, the Examiner is expressly authorized to call the Applicant's attorney collect at Valencia, California, if in his judgment disposition of this application could be expedited or if he considers the application not ready for examination or final disposition by other than allowance.

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